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Environment Institute of Australia and New Zealand Inc.

What prompted you to join EIANZ?

I believed that for our discipline to operate as professionals, it was necessary for us to have a professional body that could foster, monitor and represent the profession. I knew that we needed to work alongside engineers and planners and be considered equally professional. I also learned from some of the early leaders, including Tor Hundloe and Lex Brown, who were passionate about the institute.

What have you found most rewarding about a career in the environment sector?

Helping people to give proper consideration to environmental protection and sustainability in a way that makes a positive change.

What is the biggest change that you have seen in the environment profession over the years?

Environmentalism becoming mainstream and climate change emerging as the dominant consideration.

What are some of the most important lessons you have learned (so far) over the course of your career?

It's a small world after all – a small network of environmental professionals and other professionals within the industries in which we work. Every interaction with another person and every piece of work we deliver can have a bearing on our overall success, professionally, and in terms of what we are able to achieve for the environment.

What do you see as EIANZ's key role in the environment sector?

Being a focal point for those with environmental training, and enabling environmental professionals to interact with each other to develop their disciplines.

What advice would you give a colleague thinking of joining EIANZ?

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